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Applicants : Robert J. Levy et al.  
Serial No. : 09/933,680  
Filed : August 22, 2001  
For : **STABILIZATION OF IMPLANTABLE  
BIOPROSTHETIC DEVICES**  
Group Art Unit : 1651  
Examiner : Sandra E. Saucier

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time, up to and including June 2, 2003 for the purposes of permitting the timely filing of the enclosed Amendment.

Authorization to charge the additional fee of Four Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars (\$465.00) for a small entity, and/or any additional fees associated with this Petition for Extension of Time is granted in the attached Fee Transmittal Form.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME re Application Serial No. 09/933,680 is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2003.

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